

Docket No. 217804US2



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Sanae ITO, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/028,319

GAU: 2128

RCE FILED: Herewith

EXAMINER: GEBRESILASSIE, K. K.

FOR: SIMULATION METHOD, SIMULATION PROGRAM, AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE
MANUFACTURING METHOD EACH EMPLOYING BOUNDARY CONDITIONS

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a **three** month extension of time be granted to May 28, 2006 for

- ☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☒ filing a Request for Continued Examination. A timely response to the final rejection is filed herewith.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,
MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

Eckhard H. Kuesters

Registration No. 28,870

Customer Number

22850

Tel. (703) 413-3000
Fax. (703) 413-2220
(OSMMN 05/03)
I:\ATTY\JWA\217804US\217804 EOT 5.28.06.DOC

Surinder Sachar

05/31/2006 10:00:01 AM 00000064 10028319
Joseph Wrkich
FC:1253
Registration No. 34,423
1020.00 OP
Registration No. 53,796